	1,997	1,992	1,987			
Farms						
Number	495	516	570			
Acreage	443,434	441,321	467,739			
Average size (acres)	896	855	821			
Median size (acres)	250	N	N			
Estimated market value average per	farm					
Land/buildings (dollars)	641,925	274,233	286,993			
Machinery/equip (dollars)	72,018	54,641	53,134			
Cropland (acres)						
Total	130,820	128,270	131,273			
Harvested	85,254	82,824	89,788			
Irrigated	116,335	108,309	106,154			
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Agricultural products sold - market v		20.045	27 106			
(\$1,000)	43,416	39,945	37,196			
(dollars avg. per farm)	87,710	77,413	65,257			
Agricultural sales - Net cash return p						
(dollars average)	26,254	15,613	11,315			
Livestock inventory (number)						
Cattle and calves	53,078	46,682	51,010			
Beef cows	D	23,854	25,963			
Milk cows	D	213	177			
Hogs and pigs	2,225	4,335	3,852			
Sheep and lambs	36,367	50,798	49,157			
Layers 13 wks or/older	506	709	D			
Broilers and chicken (sold)	0	0	0			
Harvested commodities (acres)						
Corn, grain or seed	N	N	N			
Corn, silage or green chop	4,132	3,744	4,931			
Sorghum, grain or seed	N	N	N			
Wheat	775	1,725	1,310			
Barley	21,293	21,369	23,419			
Oats	N	N	N			
Rice	N	N	N			
Sunflower seed	N	N	N			
Cotton	N	N	N			
Tobacco	N	N	N			
Soybeans	N	N	N			
Dry edible beans, excl limas	6,145	6,591	6,605			
Potatoes, excl sweetpotatoes	N	N	N			
Sugar beets for sugar	15,740	16,023	15,414			
Sugarcane for sugar	N	N	N			
Peanuts for nuts	N	N	N			
Hay-alfalfa	29,877	28,563	32,351			
Vegetables						
Number of farms	N	N	N			
Acreage	N	N	N			
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Orchards

Number of farms	N	Ν	N
Acreage	N	N	N

Abbreviations/footnotes:

N represents zero.

0 represents an insignificant amount.

D-Withheld to avoid disclosing data for individual farms.

Source: USDA, NASS, 1997 Census of Agriculture